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Poultry Programs

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WHOLE EGGS, INVITATION NO. 7, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-297

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell whole eggs as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Sept. 19 Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Sept. 23, Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-297, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated May 2005, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-297, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Five-pound cartons (082065) - Frozen homogenized whole eggs with a color stabilizer packaged 5 pounds (2.27 kg) net weight in a pitcher-pour type, polyethylene-coated paperboard carton, and packed six 5-pound (2.27 kg) cartons per fiberboard shipping container with 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight. A purchase unit will consist of 1,334 shipping containers totaling 40,020 pounds (18,153 kg).

Thirty-pound containers (082030) - Frozen whole eggs (without color stabilizer) packed in a full opening type plastic container with snap-on type lid, 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net in each plastic container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,320 shipping containers totaling 39,600 pounds (17,962 kg).

Bulk liquid whole eggs (083090) - Bulk liquid whole eggs (without color stabilizer) for further processing, packed and shipped in insulated tankers, 48,000 pounds(21,772 kg) net weight in each tanker. A purchase unit will total 48,000 pounds (21,772 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY297 INVITATION : 907

COMM GROUP : 08 EGGS, FROZEN COMM TYPE : 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

DESTINATION ITEM TRANS QUANTITY NO CITY ST RESTR (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05

001 LYNDHURST VA TRUCK ONLY 79,200

: 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN COMM TYPE

PACK SIZE : 65 6/5 LB CTN

DESTINATION ITEM TRANS QUANTITY CITY ST (LBS) NO RESTR

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05

002 FORT MILL SC TRUCK ONLY 14,310 SC TRUCK ONLY 25,710 LEXINGTON

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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05

003 SAN ANTONIO TX TRUCK ONLY 40,020 40,020 004 LOS ANGELES/FAS CA FAS

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 199,260

COMM TYPE : 30 EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK PACK SIZE : 90 BULK TANKERS

ITEM DESTINATION QUANTITY TRANS ST RESTR NO CITY (LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05

005 MONTICELLO MN TRUCK ONLY 336,000 006 WAKEFIELD NE TRUCK ONLY 288,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 624,000

823,260 TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION

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Contracting Officer

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